**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**ABSTRACT**

Public Services – Panchayat Raj & Rural Development – Certain allegations of incurring expenditure from the G.P funds, without prior approval – Disciplinary action initiated against Sri Y.S.N.Murthy, Retired E.O. (PR&RD), MPP, Pondur, Srikakulam District (now Retd.) – Placed under suspension-Charges framed under Rule 20 of APCS(CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Regular Inquiry conducted - Further action dropped - Orders – Issued.

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**PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.III) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Ms.No.66** **Dated:23/08/2023**

**Read the following:**

1. Proceedings of District Collector (Pt. Wing), Srikakulam, Rc.No.60/2017.P3(2), dt:23.04.2018.
2. Written Statement of Defense submitted by Sri Y.S.N.Murthy, E.O. (PR&RD), MPP, Pondur, Srikakulam District, dt:Nil.
3. Proceedings of District Collector (Pt. Wing), Srikakulam, Rc.No.60/2017.P3 (2), dt:28.06.2018
4. Lr.Rc.No.60/2017/P3, dt:07.01.2020 from the District Panchayat Officer, Srikakulam along with the Inquiry report.
5. From the Commissioner, PR&RD, Lr.No.1010835/CPR&RD/Vig/2019, dt:20.11.2019 & 06.02.2020.
6. G.O.Rt.No.162, PR&RD(Vig.III) Dept., dt:17.03.2020

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**O R D E R:**

In the reference 1st read above, the District Collector (Pt. Wing), Srikakulam has framed the charges against Sri Y.S.N.Murthy, Retired E.O. (PR&RD), MPP, Pondur, Srikakulam District, under Rule 20 of A.P.C.S (CCA) Rules, 1991, on the allegations of incurring expenditure from the G.P funds, without prior approval.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Charged Officer has submitted his written statement of defense and having not satisfied with the same, the District Collector (Pt. Wing), Srikakulam in the reference 3rd read above, appointed the Divisional Panchayat Officer, Srikakulam as Inquiry Authority to conduct inquiry into the article of charges framed against Sri Y.S.N.Murthy, Retired E.O. (PR&RD), MPP, Pondur, Srikakulam District.

3. The Divisional Panchayat Officer, Srikakulam District & Inquiry Authority, who conducted regular Inquiry into the matter has submitted his Inquiry report in the 4th read above, wherein concluded that all the (8) charges are not held proved against Sri Y.S.N.Murthy, Retired E.O. (PR&RD), MPP, Pondur, Srikakulam District.

4. The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Andhra Pradesh, in the reference 5th read above, while forwarding the Inquiry Report of the Divisional Panchayat Officer, Srikakulam District, has requested the Government to sanction provisional pension in respect of Sri Y.S.N.Murthy, Retired E.O. (PR&RD), MPP, Pondur, Srikakulam District.

5. In the reference 6th read above, Government have issued orders sanctioning provisional pension @75% of the normal admissible pension to Sri Y.S.N.Murthy, Retired E.O. (PR&RD), MPP, Pondur Srikakulam District, under Rule 52 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980, pending finalization of the disciplinary proceedings initiated against him, in the first instance.

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6. Government after careful examination of the matter, have decided to drop further action against the Charged Officer, as all the (8) charges framed against him were not held proved in the enquiry. Accordingly, Government hereby order to drop further action against Sri Y.S.N.Murthy, Retired E.O. (PR&RD), MPP, Pondur Srikakulam District (now Retd.) in the matter.

7. The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, A.P., shall take necessary further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**B RAJSEKHAR**
**SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To
The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, A.P., Tadepalli, Guntur District.
The Individual through the Commissioner, PR&RD, Tadepalli, Guntur District.
The District Collector (Pt. wing), Srikakulam District.
Copy to:
The District Treasury Officer, Srikakulam District.
The O.S.D. to the Deputy CM (PR&RD)
The P.S. to Spl. Chief Secretary to Govt., PR&RD Dept.
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